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## **AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR 81.116**

Dear Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action dated <u>October 13, 2006</u>, the Applicant hereby requests amendment of the above-identified application as follows: